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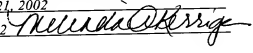
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**REPLY TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Sir:

In response to the non-final Office Action mailed August 29, 2002, a reply to which is due November 29, 2002, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

At page 4, replace the paragraph beginning at line 19 with the following:

Figure 2 shows part of a similar arrangement in the case of which  
the axial length of the drive coil system is larger than that  
of the permanent magnet arrangement.

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